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to all the items of that bill. We would be bound to producing legislation in the area of health insurance in the State of Nebraska. Senator Murphy's bill, as I understand it, addresses most of the issues relative to health insurance within the state and relative to the state's relationship to the Federal government. I think those are the issues. Senator Murphy's bill, as I understand it, would bring most of those issues or at least create a starting point for it. It's probably a more efficient manner than a resolution would could get unwieldy into the specific items that you would want to cover. I think it's a good starting place. In this particular case of a highly complicated issue, it at least draws the line from which we can proceed in any intelligent study. Under those circumstances I would support the introduction of the bill. I don't think that anybody is bound to the particularities of the bill by voting for its introduction.

PRESIDENT: Senator Murphy, do you want to close by way of reply.

SENATOR MURPHY: I will close very briefly and would add that the various segments of this industry, who have been involved in this thing, have prepared testimony that is current that is based on a situation today that I think should be received today. I think their public testimony should be part of this record when it comes on to the floor. I will support this bill for purposes of information on this floor.

PRESIDENT: The question is the request of Senator Murphy, request number 570, for the introduction of the bill under discussion. Record your vote. Record Mr. Clerk. Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: I'm affraid I need a Call of the House. I'm sorry.

PRESIDENT: I am too. There is a move to put the House under Call. Record your vote to go under Call. Record Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 22 ayes, 10 nays to go under Call.

PRESIDENT: The House is under Call. Record your presence and take your chairs please.

CLERK: Senator Koch voting aye. Senator Keyes voting aye. Senator Burrows voting aye. Senator Luedtke, Senator George and Senator Dickinson voting aye. Senator Savage voting aye. Senator Anderson voting aye.

PRESIDENT: There's a motion to raise the Call.

CLERK: Senator Maresh voting aye. Senator Johnson voting aye. Senator Frank Lewis voting aye. Senator Marsh voting no. Senator Rasmussen voting aye. Senator Fitzgerald voting aye.

PRESIDENT: Oh, oh. Get three Pages over here to Senator Simpson in a hurry. Better take it to the repair shop. There's a move to raise the Call. Don't raise the chair, raise the Call. Record your vote on raising the Call. Record Mr. Clerk.